

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Public Services-Revenue Department-Allegations of corruption and irregularities against Smt D. Ch.Nagamma, formerly Mandal Revenue Officer of Owk Mandal, Kurnool district-Sanction of Prosecution-Orders-Issued.

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REVENUE (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No: 647

Dated:03.06.2009

ORDER:

Whereas Smt D. Ch.Nagamma, worked as Mandal Revenue Officer Owk Mandal, Kurnool district from 01.05.1993 to 21.09.1994, and as such she falls within the meaning of public servant as defined under section 2 (c) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.

And whereas, it is alleged that on credible information that the village accounts of Cherlopalli, Singanapalli and Ramavaram and other villages of Owk Mandal were tampered and claimed compensation illegally on Government lands, with the connivance of local Revenue Officials and land acquisition Officer, Sri G. Ananta Ramu, IAS, the then Sub-Collector, Nandyal and the then Joint Collector, Kurnool district visited Owk and conducted jamabandi on 08.10.93. During the course of Janmabandi the Sub-Collector perused the Re-Settlement registers and 10 (1) Accounts of all the villages of Owk Mandal and came to know that most of the Survey Nos of the Government Lands of Cherlopalli, Singanapalli, Sangapatnam, Owk, Ramapuram, Ramavaram and Metpalli were tampered in the Re-Settlement registers and claimed compensation by unauthorized persons on the tampered Survey Nos of Government lands and seized all the village accounts of the above villages and submitted a detailed report to the District Collector, Kurnool who ordered for depart mental enquiry Later a Regular Enquiry was conducted and after confirming the commission of offence, a case in Cr.No.3/ACB-KUR/2000 under section 13 (2) read with section 13 (1) (d) of the Prevention of the Corruption Act, 1988 and section 120-B, 420, 465,466 and 467 IPC was registered as per the instructions of the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad vide Memo No. 33/RCO-KUR/2000 and investigated in the case.

And Where as, it is alleged that at the time of acquisition of lands of Ramavaram village for escavation of Srisailam Right Branch Canal, Sri S. Madeena Saheb the then Spl. Deputy Collector (L.A), SRBC, Nandyal addressed the Mandal Revenue Officer, Owk to furnish the information shther the lands of following Survey Nos, 89,93/3A, 92, 96, 97/1, 97/2, 97/3, 97/4, 98/1, 103/1, 120, 125,127, 129, 130,138, 139/2, 279/2,28/2B,559/1 and 559/2 were given on "D" Form Patta or not and requested to furnish the particulars of the lands with reference to darakastu register vide his letter in R.CA 169/93, dated.21.03.1994. In reply to the above letter Smt. D. Ch. Nagama, Mandal Revenue Officer, Owk in her letter No.RCA/1208/94, dated.19.09.1994 furnished the information for that the Survey Nos.87, 88, 93/3A, 96 and 120 darakastu Nos were available in the office of Mandal Revenue Office,

Owk for the remaining survey NOs.R.Dis.Nos were not available and hence extract of 10 (1) adangal and Re-Settlement register enclosed. Further the said Smt D. Ch.nagamma stated that there were no manipulation and corrections against the survey Nos. in the accounts and as per the accounts the pattadars and enjoyers were genuine. The village accounts i.e. extracts of Re-Settlement register, adangal and 10 (1) account of Ramavaram village which were enclosed in the letter were prepared by Sri V.Bali Reddy, Village Administrative officer of Ramavaram village and counter signed by the Mandal Revenue Officer and the tampered entries are as follows.

Ramavaram village					
Sl. No.	Name of the claimant	Sy. No	Extent in acres	Amount claimed	Award No.
1	Dudekula Dasthagiri	318/2	1.48	19,984-00	24/91-92
2	Pasula Nadepi Maddileti	335/2	0.15	2,026-00	24/91-92
3	Mala Maddileti	<u>91/1</u> 103/1	<u>3.93</u> 0.45	<u>1,73,693-00</u> 19,851-00	<u>10/94-95</u> 10/94-95
4	Garujula Mallanna	98/1	0.49	21,615-00	10/94-95
5	Ediga Lakshmamma	120	2.22	97,930-00	10/94-95
		127	0.67	39,498-00	10/94-95
		129	0.19	8,382-00	10/94-95
		130		2,98,696-00	10/94-95
		138	4.15		10/94-95
				71,174-00	10/94-95
		559/1	1.01	1,45,572-00	10/94-95
		559/2	3.30	76,576-00	
			1.74		
6	Yerukala Sunkanna	125/2	2.44	1,07,634-00	10/94-95
7	Marriboyana Gurrappa	281	1.38	60,896-00	10/94-95
		Total	23.6	11,43,377-00	

Basing on the above information furnished by Smt D. Ch. Nagamma the land acquisition Officer, Sri Madeena Saheb awarded compensation to unauthorized persons. Thus Sri S. Madeena Saheb, land acquisition officer, Smt D. Ch. Nagamma, Mandal Revenue Officer, Owk and Sri Y. Bali Reddy the then Village Administrative Officer of Ramavaram village connived with each and paid compensation on darakastu lands of Ramavaram village, Owk Mandal to the extent of 21.97 acres illegally in award No.10/94-95, treating the Government lands as patta lands.

And whereas the above acts of Smt D. Ch. Nagamma, formerly Mandal Revenue Officer, Owk Mandal, Kurnool district constitute offences punishable under section 13 (2) read with section 13 (1) (d) (i) & (ii) of the prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 and section 120-B, Indian Penal Code, 1980;

And whereas the Government of Andhra Pradesh being the competent authority to remove Smt D. Ch. Nagamma, formerly Mandal Revenue Officer, Owk Mandal, R/o Pamulapadu village & Mandal,

Kurnool district from Government service, after fully and carefully examining the material placed before them in respect of the said allegation and having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, consider that Smt D. Ch. Nagamma, formerly Mandal Revenue Officer, Owk Mandal, R/o Pamulapadu village & Mandal, Kurnool district should be prosecuted in a Court of Law.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under clause (b) of sub-section (1) of section 19 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 (Act 49 of 1988) and section 197 of the Criminal Procedure Code, 1973, the Government of Andhra Pradesh hereby accord sanction of the Prosecution of Smt D. Ch. Nagamma, formerly Mandal Revenue Officer, Owk Mandal, R/o Pamulapadu village & Mandal, Kurnool district for the aforesaid offences punishable under section 13 (2) read with section 13 (1) (d) of the prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 and section 120-B, Indian Penal Code and for any other cognate offences punishable under any other provisions of law for the time being in force in respect of the aforesaid acts and for taking cognizance of the said offence by a Court of competent jurisdiction.

( BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH )

( ASUTOSH MISHRA )  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
The Director General,  
Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER